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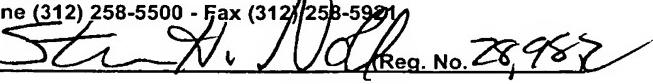
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RE: Proposed Patent Application for Georg et al Entitled: "METHOD AND X-RAY SYSTEM FOR DETECTING POSITION CHANGES OF A MEDICAL IMPLANT", Claiming Priority From German 103 16 558.4 of April 10, 2003, Our Case No. P04,0140.

SIR:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.41(c), I am filing on behalf of the inventors, Christian Georg, Joachim Hornegger, Klaus Jochen Klose and Volkmar Welker, the attached patent application with one set of drawings containing 2 sheets with 2 Figures, an unsigned Declaration, a Certified Copy of German 103 16 558.4 and appropriate government filing fee.

On behalf of the inventors, I hereby claim priority from German Application No. 103 16 558.4 of April 10, 2003.

I request that the application be assigned a Serial No. and Filing Date pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(b) and 37 CFR 1.53(f).

Very sincerely,

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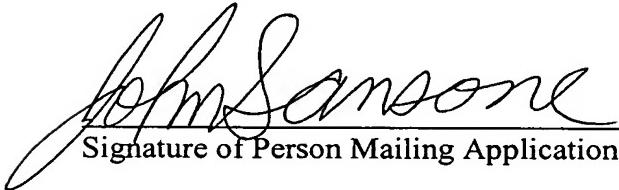
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